

## Turnbull High School

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Dear Parent / Carer

It is with great pleasure that, having received confirmation of our S1 intake, I am writing this letter to welcome your family to the community of Turnbull High School. I am looking forward to meeting your son/daughter in August and getting to know all of you in the months ahead as lockdown restrictions are eased.

I appreciate that the latter stage of our usual transition programme has been significantly disrupted for your son/daughter. Please be assured that all communication that would normally take place between schools has continued throughout this period of remote working. We have gathered data on the educational, social and wellbeing needs of all pupils to allow us to ensure a smooth transition for them.

All East Dunbartonshire Council schools are working within Scottish Government guidelines as informed by judgements based on the scientific and public health advice available. These guidelines do not allow for any pupils to be on school premises until the 15<sup>th</sup> June, at the earliest. This along with the current guidelines on social distancing and advice to only travel where necessary has led us to develop an on-line transition programme for the month of June. Mrs Bray, Depute Head Teacher with responsibility for S1, will be in contact with you next week regarding this. A further programme of transition activities will also take place during August when the young people are back in school.

It is hoped that senior staff will be allowed to return to school from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June. If you have any questions regarding the transition or require additional support for your son/daughter during June, please contact Mrs Bray or myself (0141 955 2393).

Yours sincerely

Eileen Kennedy  
Head Teacher